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Oregon Grown GLADIOLI

Coleman Gardens

Box 24, Multnomah, Oregon

PRICE LIST, FEBRUARY 1934

CHARGES PREPAID ON ORDERS OVER \$2.00

TERMS: Cash with order; or, 25% deposit, balance before shipment or C. O. D.

All varieties true to name, but we cannot be responsible for your crop other than to replace bulbs not true to name, or to refund only the original purchase price. If dissatisfied with stock, when received, return it at once and your money will be refunded.

All stock offered is subject to prior sale, and orders are accepted subject to any or all contingencies beyond our control.

We cannot be responsible for shipments made during freezing weather. Orders forwarded after March 1st.

ORDER EARLY and be sure of getting your order filled completely. We acknowledge all orders.

With every \$15.00 order we give one free copy of "THE GLADIOLUS BOOK."

25 bulbs sold at 100 price. 10 bulbs at 1/9th 100 price. 250 bulbs or over, of one kind and size at 10% discount from 100 rate. Special quotations given on large lots. Bulblets sold by the pint, at quart rate. (Dry measure used.)

If sold out of size of variety ordered we will send same value in next smaller size, unless you state otherwise. No substitution made in varieties unless requested. Measurements in inches are diameters of bulbs. Letters in parenthesis, as (K) is Kunderd, shows originators' initials.

INTRODUCERS, ORIGINATORS OR PLACES OF ORIGATION

Abbreviations: (K) Kunderd; (D) Diener; (Eu) European Variety; (C) Joe Coleman; (V) Vaughan; (Du) Dusingberre; (Ch) Chriswell; (B) Blake; (Kin) Kinyon; (A) Austin; (Sal.) Salbach.

	Price	1 1/2-up	1 1/4-1 1/2	1-1 1/4	3/4-1	1/2-3/4	1/4-1/2	Bulblets		
	Per	No. 1	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5	No. 6	100	1000	Qt.
Berty Snow (Eu)										
Large soft lilac	100	3.40	2.80	2.20	1.60	1.00	.60	.20	.60	2.00
Blue Jay (Groff)										
Lobelia blue	100	.....	.....	.....	1.60	1.00	.60	.20	.60	2.00
Betty Nuthall (Sal.)										
Tall, light coral	100	3.40	2.80	2.20	1.60	1.00	.60	.20	.60	2.00
Carmen Sylva (De)										
Fine, large white	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.90	.60	.15	.50	1.50
Catherine Coleman (C)										
Large, tall coral										
pink, fine	100	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	.60	.15	.50	1.50
Crinkles (K) Deep										
pink ruffled	100	.....	.....	.....	1.20	.80	.60	.20	.60	2.00
Diener's White (D)										
Tall white, many open	100	3.20	2.60	2.00	1.40	.80	.60	.15	.50	1.50
Dr. Moody (Kin)										
Large lavender	100	3.40	2.80	2.20	1.60	1.00	.60	.15	.50	1.50
Dr. Nelson Shook (K)										
Tyrian rose	100	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	.40	.15	.50	1.50
Dr. F. E. Bennett (D)										
Tall, brilliant red	100	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	.60	.15	.50	1.50
Early Sunrise (Eu)										
Red, yellow blotch	100	3.00	2.40	1.80	.....	.....	.....	.25	.....	.....

	Price Per	1½-up No. 1	1¼-1½ No. 2	1-1¼ No. 3	¾-1 No. 4	½-¾ No. 5	¼-½ No. 6	Bulblets		
								100	1000	Qt.
Giant Nymph (C)										
Grand light pink.....	100	.....	2.20	1.60	1.00	.60	.40	.15	.50	1.50
Gloriana (Betscher)										
Rich salmon, cream throat.....	100	.....	.....	1.80	1.20	.80	.40	.15	.50	1.50
Golden Dream (Groff)										
Tall, deep yellow, fine	100	2.80	2.20	1.60	1.00	.60	.40	.15	.50	1.50
Heavenly Blue (Eu)										
Light blue.....	100	5.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.60	1.00	.20	.60	2.00
King of Oranges (K)										
Prim, Orange-saffron	100	.....	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	.60	.20	.60	2.00
Lavender America (K)										
Tall lavender, fine.....	100	3.60	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	.35	.....	.....
Loyalty (A)										
Pure yellow.....	100	.....	3.40	2.80	2.00	.....	.....	.25	1.00	.....
Minuet (C) Large,										
tall lavender, fine.....	100	3.60	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	.20	.80	2.50
Mr. W. H. Phipps (D)										
La France pink.....	100	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	.40	.15	.50	1.50
Mrs. Leon Douglas (D)										
Begonia rose, stripped scarlet, fine....	100	.....	.....	1.60	1.00	.70	.40	.15	.50	1.50
Mrs. John S. Woods										
(Metzner) Begonia rose, tall, massive.....	100	.....	.....	1.60	1.00	.70	.40	.15	.50	1.50
Mrs. P. W. Sisson (C)										
Tall, clear cameo pink, fine.....	100	2.80	2.20	1.60	1.00	.70	.40	.15	.50	1.50
Mrs. Von Konynenburg										
(Eu) Analine blue.....	100	3.40	2.80	2.20	1.60	1.00	.60	.15	.50	1.50
Purple Glory (K) Grand,										
ruffled maroon red.....	100	2.80	2.20	1.60	1.00	.60	.40	.15	.50	1.50
Pfitzer's Triumph (Eu)										
Large, salmon red.....	100	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	.60	.20	.60	2.50
Rajah (K) Tall,										
dark red.....	100	.....	.....	.....	1.20	.80	.60	.20	.60	.200
Red Glory (Piper-Ellis)										
Grand ruffled red Purple glory sport.....	100	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	.60	.20	.60	2.00
Tyrian Beauty (K) Tall,										
bright tyrian rose.....	100	3.00	2.40	1.80	1.20	.80	.40	.15	.50	1.50
Veilchenblau (Eu)										
Large, violet blue.....	100	3.20	2.60	2.00	1.40	.80	.40	.20	.60	2.00
MIXED, from										
named varieties.....	100	2.80	2.20	1.60	1.00	.70	.40	.15	.50	1.50

SPECIAL OFFERS—SMALL LOTS

	Large 1 1/4"-up	Medium 3/4"-up	Small 1/4"-up	Blts. per 100
Blue Jay (Groff) Lobelia blue.....		6 for 10c	10 for 10c	.20
Betty Nuthall (Sal) Tall, light coral pale throat.....	3 for 15c	6 for 15c	12 for 15c	.25
Catherine Coleman (C) Giant salmon, purple blotch.....	4 for 15c	6 for 15c	10 for 15c	.20
Chicago (K) Ruffled, deep red.....	Each 25c	2 for 25c	4 for 30c	.75
Dr. Nelson Shook (K) Tyrian rose.....	4 for 15c	8 for 15c	10 for 15c	.15
D. Moody (Kinyon) Large, lavender.....	4 for 15c	8 for 15c	10 for 15c	.15
Early Sunrise (Eu) Red, yellow blotch.....	3 for 10c	6 for 10c	.....	.20
Gloriana (Betscher) Large, salmon buff.....	.....	8 for 15c	12 for 15c	.15
Golden Dream (Groff) Deep yellow, tall.....	5 for 15c	10 for 15c	20 for 15c	.15
Heavenly Blue (Eu) Light blue.....	3 for 20c	6 for 20c	12 for 20c	.20
King of Oranges (K) Prim, orange-saffron.....	4 for 15c	8 for 15c	10 for 15c	.20
La Paloma (Du) Orange.....	Each 15c	2 for 15c	4 for 15c	.....
Lavender America (K) Tall, lavender.....	3 for 10c	4 for 10c	6 for 10c	.35
Loyalty (A) Pure yellow, deeper throat.....	2 for 10c	4 for 10c	6 for 10c	.25
Minuet (C) Large, tall lavender, Grand.....	4 for 15c	6 for 15c	10 for 15c	.20
Mrs. Von Konynenburg (Eu) Analine blue.....	4 for 10c	8 for 10c	10 for 10c	.20
Paul ne Kunderd (K) Pure rose pink, Grand.....	Each 25c	Each 15c	.....	.....
Pearl of California (Kingsley) Dainty La France pink.....	4 for 15c	8 for 15c	10 for 15c	.35

	Large 1 1/4"-up	Medium 3/4"-up	Small 1/4"-up	Blt. per 100
Pfitzer's Triumph (Eu)				
Immense, orange salmon.....	4 for 15c	8 for 15c	10 for 15c	.20
President Lincoln (K) Lavender blue, heep lilac, purple blotch.....	Each 35c	Each 25c	Each 15c	....
Red Glory (Piper-Ellis) Rich ruffled red, Purple, Glory sport.....	4 for 15c	6 for 15c	8 for 15c	.15
Sovereign (V) Violet purple.....	3 for 10c	6 for 10c	10 for 10c	.20
Thos. A. Edison (K) Heavily ruffled dark red	Each 35c	Each 25c	Each 15c	....
Veilchenblau (Eu) Large, violet blue.....	4 for 15c	8 for 15c	12 for 15c	.20
Yellow Perfection (Eu) Deep yellow.....	Each 15c	2 for 15c	.....	....

GLADIOLI GROWING INSTRUCTIONS

Method Approved by the American Gladiolus Society

CARE OF NEW BULBS. When bulbs arrive, open the package at once to admit air. If not wanted to plant soon, store in cool, dry place. A canned fruit cellar is just right.

WHERE TO PLANT. In beds, rows, borders, etc., and among other light rooted plants plant in open sunny places not too near buildings nor close to foundations. Buildings shade and retard development or reflect strong sunlight and burn. Lack of free drainage, sunshine and aeration, as well as ingredients in mortar, make unfertile and sour soils. Keep away from trees and heavy rooted shrubs especially.

KIND OF SOIL. A sandy loam is best. Works freely, retains moisture, and is productive. Any good garden soil will do, but some require more work to keep loose, to keep weeds down, etc.

HOW TO PLANT. Manure well in the fall. In spring at planting time, use only well rotted manures or commercial fertilizers. If manures are not available, use leaves sprinkled with sheep fertilizers and some lime. Cow or hog are better than chicken or horse manures. Will not burn if used heavy, and better chemical element content for flowers. Spade not less than 8 or 10 inches deep. Pulverize manures and soil THOROUGHLY. Open rows or trenches 6 inches deep, 18 or 20 inches apart. Set large bulbs in trenches the width of the bulbs apart. Farther apart if you care to, but not closer. Smaller bulbs not set so deep. Six inches is deep planting. Slows appearance of sprout through ground, but protects from late frosts, will stand heavy winds and extreme hot or rainy weather better. Cover bulbs with an inch of soil then sprinkle liberally with sheep fertilizer, bone meal or complete slaughter house tankage. Fill in rest of trench with soil FIRM DOWN by walking on rows or with lawn roller to eliminate air pockets around bulbs, if soil is dry when planted, water thoroughly after planting. If planted in beds, set bulbs about 6 inches apart.

HOW TO MARK. Put in stakes and label each variety as planted. Stakes in deep to avoid being pulled out in cultivating. Unless water-proof ink, use lead pencil for marking labels. Common ink will fade from rains and watering.

CULTIVATING. Keep soil loose and free from weeds ALWAYS. Never permit caking or crusting of soil after rains or watering. Keep cultivating. The more you do, the better your plants and flowers, for many reasons.

FERTILIZING. Use plenty of sheep fertilizer, tankage or bone meal. All or each. Each has some content the others lack. Bone meal good, but slow. If nitrates and ammonias are used, BE CAREFUL. Use them only between rows, and never permit on plants. They are strong and stimulants more than foods.

WATERING. Water when necessary, then soak them. Sprinkling has tendency to draw roots UP for moisture. Send the water DOWN to the roots. Unless very dry, once a week is usually enough.

BLOOMS. Cut lower spike when first bud is open. Keep spikes in water. Change water and cut end of spike off slanting, daily. Use a knife for cutting. Shears crush and close channels in stem so water can not pass through to bulbs. In cutting spike, leave 4 to 6 leaves on plant to mature bulbs.

DIGGING. Dig when foliage is turning brown, but always before freezing weather. Cut off foliage close to bulb. Dry in open air a few days, but keep from frost. Store for a few weeks, then divide new bulbs and bulblets from mother bulb and old roots. Always keep label and name with each variety. Clean up and store for winter.

STORAGE. Store in cigar or other shallow wooden boxes. Paste label on box and mark variety plainly. Do not crowd, because of danger of mixing varieties. Store in a cool, dry place. A temperature of about 40 degrees F. A canned fruit cellar is exactly right if not too damp.

REMEMBER. GOOD bulbs, plenty of sun, food, water and cultivating is all you need to raise PRIZE WINNING GLADS. Buy them from—COLEMAN GARDENS.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

CHARGES ARE NOT PREPAID

1000 BULBS		500 BULBS		250 BULBS	
100 Bulbs each of 10 Varieties. Our Selection		50 Bulbs each of 10 Varieties. Our Selection		25 Bulbs each of 10 Varieties. Our Selection	
No. 1.....	\$15.00	No. 1.....	\$8.00	No. 1.....	\$4.00
No. 2.....	12.00	No. 2.....	6.50	No. 2.....	3.75
No. 3.....	10.00	No. 3.....	5.50	No. 3.....	2.75
No. 4.....	8.00	No. 4.....	4.50	No. 4.....	2.25

Varieties, giving as wide range of color as is possible, will be selected only from our price list, and these are good for either garden decoration or cut flowers. Sizes 3 and 4 produce satisfactory blossoms. NO DISCOUNT OR DIVISION ON SPECIAL COLLECTIONS ALLOWED.

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